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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re: Patent application of  
William Ian David et al.  
Serial No.: 09/463,881  
Filed: April 18, 2000  
For: Method and Apparatus for Determining  
Molecular Crystal Structures

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three month(s):  
(check and complete the applicable item below)

☒ to respond to the Office Letter mailed on October 12, 2001

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☒ is filed herewith.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this paper, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date indicated below, with sufficient postage, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

BY Katrina H. Shreve

DATE: April 11, 2002

3. Applicant is

☒ a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920.00	<b>\$460.00</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1440.00	\$720.00

Fee \$ 460.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on Monday, April 12, 2002.

6. Fee Payment

☒ A check in the sum of \$ 460.00 is enclosed.

☒ Charge any additional extension fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Account No. 50-0573.

Respectfully submitted

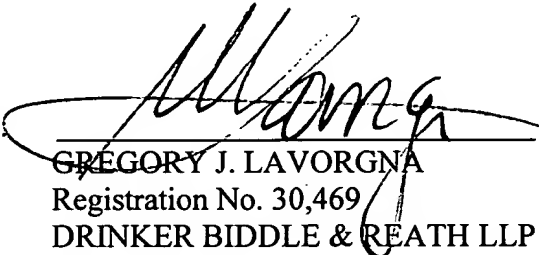
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